



THE SECRETARY OF TRANSPORTATION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20590

June 4, 2002

The Honorable Richard B. Cheney
President of the Senate
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Mr. President:

Pursuant to the requirement of the Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century (23 U.S.C. 189), I am pleased to transmit to you a copy of the Report to Congress on the Transportation Infrastructure Finance and Innovation Act of 1998 (TIFIA). The report summarizes the financial performance of projects assisted by TIFIA and discusses alternatives for achieving the program objectives in the future.

An identical letter is being sent to the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Norman Y. Mineta", is written over a horizontal line.

Norman Y. Mineta

Enclosure